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Subpart D—Agency Responsibilities

- 302-7.300 What policies and procedures must we establish for this part?
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Subpart A—General Rules

NOTE TO SUBPART A: Use of pronouns "I", "you", and their variants throughout this subpart refers to the employee, unless otherwise noted.

§ 302-7.1 Who is eligible for the transportation and temporary storage of household goods (HHG) at Government expense?

The following are eligible for the transportation and temporary storage of household goods (HHG) at Government expense when a relocation has been determined to be in the interest of the Government:

- (a) An employee transferred between official stations, within or outside the continental United States (CONUS):
- (b) A new appointee to his/her first official station within or outside the CONUS:
- (c) An employee being returned to CONUS for separation from an outside CONUS assignment, after completion of an agreed upon period of services;
- (d) An SES employee authorized last move home benefits under §302-3.304 of this chapter;

(e) An employee authorized a temporary change of station (TCS).

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§ 302-7.2 What is the maximum weight of HHG that may be transported or stored at Government expense?

The maximum weight allowance of HHG that may be shipped or stored at Government expense is 18,000 pounds net weight.

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§ 302-7.2 What is the maximum weight of HHG that may be transported or stored at Government expense?

- (a) The maximum weight allowance of HHG that may be shipped or stored at Government expense is 18,000 pounds net weight. For uncrated or van line shipments, a 2,000 pound allowance is added to the 18,000 pounds net weight allowance to cover packing materials for the shipment. In no case may a shipment weigh over 20,000 gross pounds (the 18,000 pounds net weight of the uncrated HHG plus the 2,000 pound allowance for packing materials). The relocating employee is responsible for reimbursing the Government for all costs incurred if the shipment is overweight. For determining the weight of crated shipments, containerized shipments, and constructive weight for other types of household good shipments, please see the chart in §302-7.13.
- (b) An agency may establish a lower net weight allowance and a lower allowance for packing materials in special circumstances, such as transferring an employee into government-furnished quarters.

§ 302-7.3 May HHG be transported or stored in more than one lot?

Household goods may be transported and stored in multiple lots, however, your maximum HHG weight allowance is based upon shipping and storing all HHG as one lot.